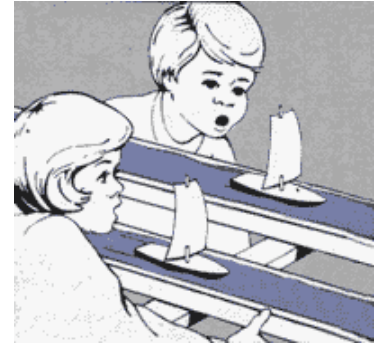


*2008 WADE Rain Gutter Regatta
Sleeping Lade Resort, Leavenworth, WA
Tuesday, June 17, 2008
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1. **Lavish prizes will be the booty for the winning Captain and District.**
2. Each boat must pass inspection by the Official Regatta Committee before it is eligible to race;
3. The overall length of the boat can be no greater than 7 inches long. This includes all items above and below the waterline;
4. Modifications of kit boats (see below) are allowed, however, no motors, rockets, or other motive force are allowed. The sole source of propulsion is the racer blowing at the boat. Other (non-kit) materials may be used;
5. Decorations (paint, decals, rigging, figures, etc.) may be added. All decorations must be securely attached and not loose or swinging around; No loose materials of any kind are allowed;
6. Boats will not pass inspection if they have wet or tacky paint.
7. Once the race is started, the boat may not be touched except by a judge. If the loser of a race touches his boat during that race, he will get a first warning. If the racer touches it again in another race, they will be disqualified from the competition. If the winner of a race touches their boat during the race, there will be a re-race and they will be warned. If they touch their boat again during the competition, they will be disqualified;
8. There will be two competitions: Individuals and Districts.
 1. Individuals will race each other in head to head competition in a randomly drawn bracket double elimination competition. The first boat to the end of the gutter is the winner and will move on to the next round. Individuals are only allowed to race one boat, no boat substitutions allowed.
 2. Districts may enter one boat to represent their District in a randomly drawn bracket double elimination competition. The Captain may be replaced as many times as desired between heats but the Captain that starts is the only member of the boat's crew that may navigate/propel the ship during any single race. The first boat to the end of the gutter is the winner and will move on to the next round.
9. Boats can be ordered (for less than \$5.00) at the link below or you can make your own. If you make your own they must meet the following criteria:
 1. The boat must be no longer than seven (7) inches nor shorter than six (6) inches;
 2. The boat shall not exceed two (2) inches in width;
 3. The mast may not be more than six (6) inches tall measured from the top of the boat deck.

[Raingutter Regatta Kit](#)